

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 2002 – 0169

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR DESIGNEE TO APPLY FOR
AND ACCEPT A GRANT OF APPROXIMATELY \$407,705 FROM THE
U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (USEPA) REGION 9,
AND TO NEGOTIATE A WORKPLAN TO CONTINUE SOURCE
INVESTIGATION ACTIVITIES IN THE SAN GABRIEL VALLEY

WHEREAS:

1. The San Gabriel Valley groundwater basin provides drinking water for over one million people;
2. A portion of the San Gabriel Valley groundwater basin is contaminated with volatile organic compounds and nitrates at concentrations exceeding state and federal drinking water standards;
3. The San Gabriel Valley groundwater basin was placed on USEPA's National Priorities List in 1984;
4. The Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (LARWQCB) has been investigating sources of groundwater contamination in the San Gabriel Valley since October 1985 in an attempt to identify potential responsible parties;
5. In April 1988, the LARWQCB endorsed a program strategy and action plan for continuing the cleanup of the San Gabriel groundwater basin; and
6. USEPA intends to make a grant of approximately \$407,705 available to the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to fund staff of SWRCB and LARWQCB to continue source identification activities in the San Gabriel Valley.

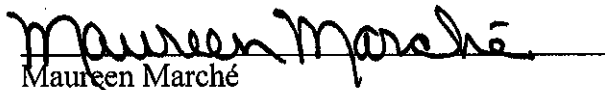
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Resources Control Board authorizes the Executive Director or designee to:

1. Apply for and accept a federal grant of approximately \$407,705 from USEPA; and
2. Negotiate a workplan with Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board to continue source identification activities in the San Gabriel Valley.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Clerk to the Board, does hereby certify that the forgoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on December 2, 2002.


Maureen Marché
Clerk to the Board